

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : COSTA et al.
U.S. Serial No. : 10/557,586
Confirmation No. : 8745
Filed : March 3, 2006
Examiner : Nora M. Rooney
Art Unit : 1644
For : HYPOALLERGENIC VARIANTS OF THE PARIETARIA JUDAICA MAJOR ALLERGENS, USES THEREOF AND COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING THEM

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Sir/Madam:

RESPONSE TO JUNE 2, 2009 FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the FINAL OFFICE ACTION mailed on June 2, 2009, and Advisory Actions mailed October 1, 2009 and November 3, 2009. The shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire three months from the mailing date of the Final Office Action; i.e., on September 2, 2009.

Applicants have petitioned for a two-month extension of time and paid the required fees on October 19, 2009. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time, and authorize the Commissioner to charge THREE HUNDRED AND TEN DOLLARS (\$310, i.e. \$555 three-month extension fee minus the already paid \$245.00 two-month extension fee) as extension fee

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for a small entity to Deposit Account No. 50-1891.
Accordingly, a response is now due on December 2, 2009, and
this Amendment is being timely filed.

Claim Amendment Fee Calculation

	Claims remaining after amendment		Largest No. Previously Paid For	Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Additional Fee
Total	5	Minus	20	0	X \$26.00	\$00.00
Ind.	1	Minus	3	0	X \$110.00	\$00.00

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